## SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION 843 By Kilby

A RESOLUTION to honor and recognize Catherine Dorothy Schuman, 2006 Valedictorian of Harriman High School.

WHEREAS, it is fitting that the members of this General Assembly should pause to pay tribute to those students who, through their natural talents and unflagging commitment to academic excellence, have distinguished themselves in the classroom; and

WHEREAS, Catherine Dorothy Schuman is one such exceptional student who was recently named Valedictorian of the 2006 graduating class at Harriman High School; and

WHEREAS, through diligent study, steady composure during examinations, and steadfast commitment of time and talent, Catherine Schuman has achieved outstanding academic success and has joined the ranks of the best and brightest students in Tennessee and our country; and

WHEREAS, in her remarkable high school career, Ms. Schuman has earned an exemplary 4.0 grade point average and received the DAR Good Citizenship Award and National Merit Honorable Mention; and

WHEREAS, an acknowledged leader among her peers, Catherine has served as president of her class throughout her high school career, in addition to serving as Secretary and Vice President of the Student Council, Treasurer of the Beta Club, Vice President of the Science Club, Secretary of the Interact Club, and Band Captain and Sgt. At Arms with the Band; and

WHEREAS, an active participant in numerous clubs and organizations, she is a member of the Catholic Youth Organization and the Harriman High School Literary Society; and

WHEREAS, Catherine's display of intellectual aptitude and ambition surely bodes well for her future success; and

WHEREAS, Ms. Schuman's noteworthy achievement is a tremendous source of pride for her parents, John and Sherry Schuman, her school, and her community; and

WHEREAS, Catherine Schuman's dedication to excellence is clearly deserving of the respect, admiration, and commendation of this legislative body; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED FOURTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES CONCURRING, that we hereby commend and honor the 2006 Harriman High School Valedictorian, Catherine Dorothy Schuman, on her impressive academic achievement and extend to her our best wishes for a happy, successful future.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.

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